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For:

RECORDING DEVICE, VIDEO OUTPUT DEVICE, VIDEO DISPLAY/RECORD

SYSTEM AND SIGNAL PROCESSING METHOD FOR VIDEO DISPLAY/

RECORD SYSTEM

## LETTER

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Sir:

Under the provisions of 35 USC 119 and 37 CFR 1.55(a), the applicant hereby claims the right of priority based on the following application(s):

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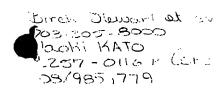
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